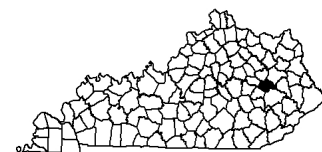




# WOLFE COUNTY

KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



## General Population Data

	County	Ky	US
Total population	7,065	4,041,769	281,421,906
Median household income	\$19,310	\$33,672	\$41,994
Per capita income	\$10,321	\$18,093	\$21,587
Living in poverty	35.9 %	15.8 %	12.4 %
Eligible for Medicaid	45.6 %	17.6 %	na
Without medical insurance	21.3 %	13.3 %	14.2 %
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	55.7 %	64.7 %	70.9 %
Unemployment rate	9.6 %	5.7 %	4.6 %
Use the Internet at home	45.1 %	64.0 %	na

## Highest Level of Education

	County	Ky	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	46.4 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	30.8 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	10.3 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	2.0 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	10.6 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

## Educational Pipeline

	County
High school graduates in 2006	79
In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	49.4 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	140
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	11
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	69
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	12
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	20
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	5
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	19
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	103
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	34
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	31.3 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	631

## College Readiness

	County	Ky
Average ACT score	18.2	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	70.0 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	63.3 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	53.3 %	28.6 %

## Employment by Sector

	County	Ky
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	na	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	64	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	241	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	na	258,647
Health & educational services	268	215,834
Government & public education	450	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	116	209,629

## Undergraduates & Alumni

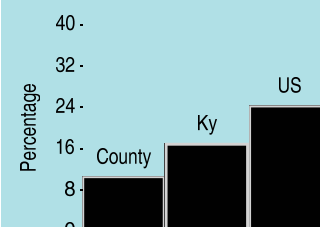
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	17	114
University of Louisville	3	9
Eastern Kentucky University	18	211
Kentucky State University	0	0
Morehead State University	99	306
Murray State University	0	1
Northern Kentucky University	0	5
Western Kentucky University	2	3
KCTCS	169	163
Independent colleges & universities	12	66
Total from this county	320	878

## Financial Aid to Students From This County

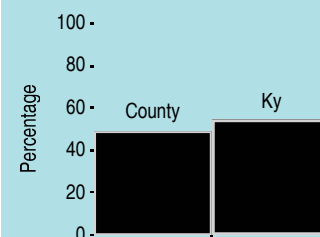
	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$494,650	178
Federal loans	\$454,606	82
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$136,608	92
Kentucky need-based grants	\$204,374	108

## KEY FACTS

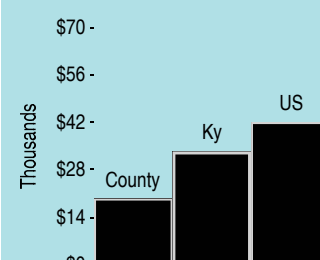
### Percentage of Adults With a Bachelor's Degree or Higher



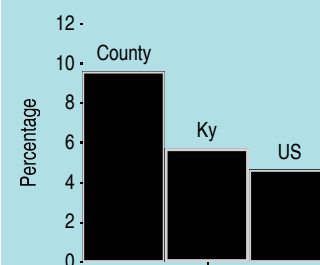
### In-State College-Going Rate



### Median Household Income



### Unemployment Rate



Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.